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- Transmitted herewith is Response to July 16, 2003 Office Action.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3)	(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	5	-	20	0	<input type="checkbox"/> x \$9.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> x \$18.00	\$0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	-	3	0	<input type="checkbox"/> x \$43.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> x \$86.00	\$0
	APPLICATION AMENDED TO CONTAIN ANY MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS NOT PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR.			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> x \$145.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> x \$290.00 ONE TIME	\$0
					TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT	\$0

- Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated July 16, 2003 by three month(s) for a fee of \$950.00 so that the period for response is extended to January 16, 2004 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321.
- The amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321 is included in the enclosed check.
- The amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(b) is included in the enclosed check.
- The enclosed credit card payment form to charge the amount of \$950.00 covers the total claim fee and other applicable fees.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee and any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

14.  Customer No. 26263

Dated: January 16, 2004

Marina N. Saito, (Registration No. 42,121)

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

Dated: January 16, 2004

Barbara W. Foucher

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